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HIM FOR USG BEST WISHES ON ECUADOREAN INDEPENDENCE DAY

IN A FOREGIN MINISTRY NOTE DATED AUGUST 13, SUPREME COUNCIL  
OF GOVERNMENT PRESIDENT, VICE ADMIRAL ALFREDO POVEDA, ASKED  
THAT WE PASS ON THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT FORD:

"I AM HONORED TO EXPRESS THE SINCERE APPRECIATION OF  
THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF ECUADOR FOR THE MESSAGE OF  
CONGRATULATIONS ON THE OCCASION OF THE ANNIVERSARY OF  
ECUADOREAN INDEPENDENCE. I RENEW TO YOU THE DECISION TO  
STRENGTHEN THE FRIENDLY RELATIONS THAT HAPPILY EXIST BETWEEN  
OUR COUNTRIES. I WISH YOU PERSONAL GOOD FORTUNE AND REITER-  
ATE TESTIMONY OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION.

SINCERELY, VICE ADMIRAL ALFREDO POVEDA, PRESIDENT OF  
THE SUPREME COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ECUADOR."

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